Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 05 May 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 06 May 2021

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 04 May 2021 at 15:29

Confidence: High for cold and showery weather for the next few days. Low for detail over the weekend.

Headline for Wednesday 05 May 2021: Cold with wintry showers from late morning

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 05 May 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms Low Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Heavy rain showers	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Clear night
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	10%	20%	30%	30%	20%

Forecast for Wednesday 05 May 2021

Weather: Dry at first with some clear or sunny periods. Cloud developing from mid morning with a few snow or hail snow developing by late morning, occasionally heavy. Showers lasting into the afternoon before easing in the evening. Cold winds at height.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 90%

Visibility: Cloud lowering on to the highest summits in heavier showers in the afternoon, otherwise very good visibility with good air clarity. Quickly dropping poor in snow or hail.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	19/28 NW	21/30 NW	21/29 NW	17/26 NW	18/27 NW	21/31 NW	18/27 NW	19/28 NW	15/22 NW
300	11/20 NW	12/22 NW	13/22 NW	12/21 NW	12/21 NW	13/24 NW	11/20 NW	10/19 NW	9/17 NW
Valley	10/19 NW	11/21 NW	11/21 NW	11/21 NW	11/21 NW	12/24 NW	9/19 NW	8/18 NW	8/15 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	0/-6	-0/-7	-1/-8	0/-6	1/-4	2/-4	1/-5	-1/-7	-2/-8
300	2/-2	2/-3	1/-4	4/-0	5/1	5/1	4/0	1/-3	-0/-5
Valley	4/-0	3/-2	2/-2	5/2	6/3	6/3	5/2	2/-2	0/-3
<< Freezing Level*	600m	600m	400m	400m	500m	500m	400m	300m	200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Be prepared for winter conditions on the summits.

Forecast for Thursday 06 May 2021

Weather: Mainly dry start. Clouding over through the morning with showery rain spreading from the north, this lasting into the afternoon. Turning drier in the evening. Starting off as snow down to 500 metres, snow line rising to 700 metres or so in the afternoon.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly gusts to 30 mph on the tops

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 50%

Visibility: Poor in low cloud from late morning with bases down to 500 metres. Rain and snow reducing visibility too.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Zero rising to 9 Celsius
At 700m: Minus 1 rising to plus 1 Celsius
Freezing level: 400 metres at first, rising to 900 metres in the afternoon

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